The Honorable Michael K. Powell Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Powell:

I fully support the Direct TV, Dish Network merger. Here in the Sierra, it is impossible to receive local stations. We are more aware of Denver news than we are of that in our own state. I understand that this would also enable us to receive the Sunday Ticket, which we are unable to do on the Dish Network at the present time. Please support this merger.

Sincerely,

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